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COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL.

New Haven, April 23.—The Yale football authorities to-day announced that the date of the next annual football game between Harvard and Yale has been fixed for November 24 in New Haven. This also determines the date of the Princeton-Yale contest, which will be played at Princeton November 17. **ADVERTISE IN THE COLONST**

Holds Out

Despatch of Relieving Force Too Strong for Successful Opposition.

Outpost Party of the Worcesers Have Serious Misadventure After Dark.

the British to Fatal Exposure.

London, April 23 .- The war office late this evening put the following despatch from Roberts on the bulletin board:

terday I despatched the 11th Division un der Gen. Pole-Carew and two brigades of cavalry, under General French, from this point to assist Gen. Rundle. The force reached Karriefontein without much opposition.

much opposition.

"Casualties reported: Welsh Regiment-Private killed; Capt. Prothero mortally wounded and 7 men. Yorkshires—8 wounded, one killed. 14th Hussars—1 wounded. Royal Artillery—2 wounded. 7th Dragoons—Lieut.-Jenkins and 10 men missing. Capt. Rotton, Royal Artillery, broken arm by a fall.

"Gen. Pole-Carew's mounted infantry seized Larwapp, a high hill a few miles north of their foremost position. The enemy evacuated lurriedly, leaving some rifles and ammunition.

rifles and ammunition.
"Gen. Rundle reported that 25 men of
the First Worcesters are missing. Fiftythree were sent with Wood to an outpost
after dark. Only 18 returned. Their
number and names will be reported later,
as well as the wounded yesterday."

Aliwal North, April 23.—Col. Dalgetty is holding out at Wepener. It is reported that all the Boers have crossed to the north side of Caledon river.

north side of Caledon river.

Boer Camp, Thaba Nehu, Orange Free State, April 22.—Fighting continues day and night at Jammersburg Drift. The English trenches are so full of rain that the men have been obliged every now and then to clamber to the banks, only to be shot down. The Boers were so drenched on Saturday that they were unable to sleep, so they started to debate on the subject of the good to be derived from virtue and courage. The discussion lasted most of the night, shells at intervals interrupting the speakers.

Robertson's lower mill is reported to have been captured on April 21, and it is said that the Cape Mounted Rifles have lost during the siege 120 out of 500 men. The British prisoners defy the burghers to capture Col. Dalgety's camp, even if the British are not reinforced.

A surprising number of relatives are lighting on opposite sides at Wepener.

FIGHT CLUBS USE INFLUENCE.

Hope That New York Police Comnes sioners May Be Induced to Remove Ban.

errived in town to-day from Hot Springs, Ark. It is said on good authority that

Ark. It is said on good authority that he came here expressly to endeavor to have President York and the police board teconsider their determination not to issue renewals of licenses to the fight clubs of this city.

It is possible that fight licenses may be issued to-morrow as a result of Senator Sullivan's conference with the police board. Ever since the commissioners declared that they would not grant any clubs licenses there has been the greatest fustling ever done by fight promotors to secure enough police influence to get the commissioners to change their minds.

A CORPORAL'S MAD FREAK.

Riddles With Bullets the Hotel Shelter ing His Lady Love and Suicides
After Wounding Her.

Plattsburgh, N.Y., April 23.-Enraged by jealousy, Corporal Harry Matthews Company C, 15th Infantry, stationed of Company C, 15th Infantry, stationed at Plattsburgh barracks, proceeded last night to the Lake View hotel, on the Lake Shore drive, and fired 125 shots with an army rifle, some of the shots going through the building. Matthews apparently tried to kill every occupant of the building, but, as it was, only injured Stella Hamilton, of Montreal, who was shot through the arm. Matthews then went down to the Lake Shore and shot himself through the head, dying instantly. He was 28 years of age and was always considered a fine soldier until he became infatuated with Miss Hamilton.

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Containing about 50 well furnished rooms, centrally located, commands good bar trade. Owner leaving almost immediately for the North, will sell out at a sacrifice. About 2 acres of land near Cowichan Station, nearly all cleared. This property has on it a small well built house, with garden, well, etc., etc. Good hunting, boating and fishing in the neighborhood—to a quick purchaser will accept \$180. Mr. William Davidson, St. Andrews, Que, states: Dr. Chuse's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has cured me of bronchitis, have, without success, tried nany remedies for the past six years. Last winter when I had a severe atack and was unable to work I procured a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine and am happy to state that the third bottle made me a well man." 25 cents a bottle. Family size 60 cents. neighborhood—to a quick purchaser will accept \$180.
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DUKE OF ARGYLL DEAD. Eminent Nobleman Passes Away at

Venerable Age.

London, April 24.—George Douglas Campbell, Duke of Argyll, died this morning. He was born April 30, 1873. The Marquis of Lorne is his heir.

GEN. WARREN TRANSFERRED.

Appointed Administrator of Bechuans land and Leaves to Assume New Duties.

Durban, April 23.—General Sir Charles Warren has been appointed Aministrator of Bechuanaland. He sailed yesterday for Capetown.

Her Patients

Hospital Ship Completes First Round of Her Philanthropic Duty.

Lady Randoiph Churchill Tells of Pleasing Success of the Enterprise.

Southampton, April 23 .- The United States hospital ship Maine arrived here from South Africa this afternoon, unexpectedly early. Within an hour all the wounded men were removed in ambulances and placed on board a train Mesdames Adair, Ronalds, Blow and

others of the executive committee, with Mr. Baker, president of the Atlantic Transport Company, intended to have given a much more elaborate reception to the Maine and Lady Randolph Churchill. On the arrival of the ladies'

Churchill. On the arrival of the ladies' committee they boarded the ship and affectionately greeted Lady Randolph, who was as disappointed as the others at the failure of the friends' plans. The committee found the ship already emptied of the sick and wounded. The deck was occupied by a group of nurses in picturesque uniforms. At the mizzenmast flew the Union Jack and the Red Cross flag, presented by the Duke of Connaught before the ship's departure. The Stars and Stripes floated at her foremast.

Cross flag, presented by the Duke of Connaught before the ship's departure. The Stars and Stripes floated at her foremast.

During the course of an interview with a representative of the Associated-Press, Lady Randolph Churchill spoke in glowing terms of the success of the ship, saying: "Everything has gone off splendidly. There has not been a single hitch nor a disagreement with anyone. Our relations with the authorities have been all that could be desired. They gave us every possible facility, and we had a practically free hand.

"The suggestion that the Maine returned in consequence of sanitary defects or trouble with her machinery is quite untrue. The ship and all connected with her are all that could be desired, but the Maine returned because since the relief of Ladysmith the hospitals have been terribly congested, and all the hospital ships are full.

"The progress of the patients on board has been most satisfactory. Most of them were scarcely able to mere than crawl on board, yet a fortnight before the arrival of the Maine here 60 of the patients were discharged from the hospital. We brought altogether 150 men and 12 officers. Fifty of these were surgical cases. The enteric fever patients made wonderful recoveries under the American cold bath treatment. All on board express deep gratifude for the treatment they have received. There were three deaths during the voyage,"

Lady Randolph Churchill added that both her sons visited her on the Maine at Durban, and concluded with remarking that the steamer had a beautiful voyage, the weather being so fine that they dined on deck nightly.

Later Mesdames Ronalds and Blow repaired to Netley hospital to present the patients from the Maine with gifts of tobacco and pipes inscribed "A. S. S. Maine."

ORE NOT APPRECIATED.

Unsuccessful Colonists Say It Spoiled

New York, April 23,--About a dozen colonists from the Cuban colony at La Gloria, Cuba, arrived here to-day on the steamer Londa. They gave expression to bitter feelings against the company which induced them to go to the colony, where they had suffered hardships. The place, they declare, is not suitable for agricultural settlement. Alexander Miller, of Boston, one of the colonists, was much excited over the failure he had met with, and told that vegetables could not grow at La Gloria owing to ore in the ground. steamer Londa.

TEAMSTERS ON STRIKE.

Toronto Freight Awaits Delivery While Men Enforce Demand For Better Terms.

Toronto, April 23. - The freight delivery service of Toronto is completely paralyzed to-day. All the completely paralyzed to-day. An the temmsters in the employ of Hendric, Shedden and the Dominion Transport Co., to the number of 200, have quit work to enforce a demand for shorter hours and payment for overtime.

THE AVENUE TO RHODESIA.

Lisbon, April 23.—The press continues to criticize the government's acquiescence in the transport of British troops across Portuguese East African territory to Rhodesia. The Commercie affirms that the government has thereby violated a paragraph of the constitution, and maintains that if Great Britain's right to transport troops across Portuguese territory is admitted, her right to establish an arsenal at the mouth of the Tagus might be equally recognized.

Canadians Under Fire

Mounted Divisions Engaged in Effective Movement on Strong Boer Position.

Enemy Compelled to Evacuate But Escape the Capture Planned.

No Mention of Casualties—A Trooper the Victim of Pleurisy.

Bloemfontein, Monday, April 23.-Col Anderson's corps of mounted infantry, consisting of the First and Second Batalions of the Canadian regiment, and Strathcona Horse, was engaged in the recent operations of Pole-Carew and Gen French. Anderson had undertaken to drive the Boers from their line of defence, south of the waterworks. The Canadians sustained a heavy fire. The Boers shelled Anderson, who made marching movement around Leeuw Kop, on the extreme left of the Boer position.

When the British battery opened fire, the Boers removed the gun. Leeuw Kop was found evacuated this morning.

Gen. Dixon's cavalry brigade, which made a wide detour to the left, found its further progress barred by the strong Boer position.

London, April 24.—The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The resistance of the Boers at Leeuw Kop was contemptible, considering the strength of their position. They, escaped in an easterly direction, the Guards failing to get quite around them."

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Times says: "The British cavalry were checked. Col. Anderson worked partially around the flank of Leeuw Kop, but was not supported. "The move checked the enemy, but the fear of nightfall precluded the possibility of a mate."

Carnaryon, Cape Colony, April 23.—
Trooper Woolcomb (Canadian) died in the hospital here of pleurisy though he received every attention. He was buried with military honors. The remaining sick are convalescent, A further contingent leaves for the front April 26.

SWELL HOME FOR CHARITY.

Bazaar the Gift of a French Philanthropist Blessed by the Archbishop.

Paris, April 23.—The salesrooms of the charity bazaar erected by the Count and Countess De Castellaine at the cost of a million francs, as a result of the charity bazaar catastrophe in 1897, when about 125 persons lost their lives owing to the flimsy character of the temporary structure, were inaugurated to-day and blessed by Cardinal Richard, the Archbishop of Paris. The building, which is a very fine structure, is situated in the Rue Pierre Charron, an offshoot of the Champs Elysee. The proceedings to-day were very ceremonious. The Castellaines' footmen lined both sides of the entrance in full livery of red swallow-tails, with silk breeches, powdered wigs and shoes with gold buckles. Count Boni De Castellaine received Cardinal Richard under the porch and conducted him to a throne erected at the end of the hall as one of Wagner's marches was played by the orchestra. The Cardinal then pronounced the benediction, in the presence of a large and aristocratic audience.

MR. McINNES' MISSION.

Trip West for Purely Private Reason No Intention to Enter Provincial Politics.

Winnipeg, April 23.-Mr. W. W. B through the city yesterday en route to the Coast. Interviewed at the depot, in answer to queries he said: "No, it is not true that.1 have returned from the federal house to take part in the provincial elections. I do not resign my seat at present, nor have I any intention of entering provincial politics. My object in going to the Coast is for purely private reasons. Will I speak on Mr. Martin's platform? I have never thought of doing so. I cannot tell you how long I through the city vesterday en route to I cannot tell you how long will be away."

RETURNING TO DUTY.

Canadian Soldiers Rejoin the Fighting Ranks After a Trip to English Hospital.

Toronto, April 23,-A special cable says that a number of the members of the Canadian Regiment who were inradided to Netley Hospital have returned to Africa and will rejoin the regiment at Bloemfontein. The Canadians confined in Woolwich who were reported as about to return to Canada are not going. The authorities are awaiting instructions from Ottawa.

BALLOONS FOR THE BOERS.

St. Petersburg, April 23.—The papers announce the departure for Africa of a body of aeronauts to organize a military balloon service for the Transvaal. They took the necessary balloons and accessories with them.

NEWSPAPER MAN'S DEATH.

Toronto, April 23.—Charles Dickson, an old-time newspaper man, for many years night editor of the Mail, died at the general hospital this morning from heart failure.

My friend, look here! you know how, weak and nervous your wife is, and you know that Carter's Iron Pills will relieve her. New why: not he fair about: it and buy her

Sketch of the Long and Honorable Career

Bivouacking But Eight Miles Away and Boers in Full Retreat.

Colonial Division Had Day of Conitnuous Fighting-Rundle's Experience.

London, April 24.-5 a.m.-The strong body of reinforcements which Lord Roberts sent to assist in the relief of Wepcut off the Boers from a retreat north-Boers are assembled in much larger force upposed, and as the Times in an editorial remarks, whatever may be the diffi-culties of road and rains, the Boers alrays appear to have guns and sometimes

A Boer despatch dated Thaba Nehu, April 20 says that a fresh supply of canon and ammunition has reached General

non and ammunition has reached General Dower at Janamersburg Drift. It also asserts that one of Col. Dalgety's guns has been smashed.

Karriefontein, mentioned in Lord Roberts' message to the war office, is 15 miles southeast of Bloenfontein. Leeuw Kop is two miles further south. Apparently the British captured Paarde Kraal Sunday night. The Boer evacuated Leeuw Kop during the night, removing the gun and the British occupied the kop the next morning.

Maseru, Monday, April 23.—Fighting began early this morning at Bushman's Kop The Colonial Division, under Gen. Brabant, advanced cautiously, followed and supported by Gen. Hart's infantry Brabant, advanced cautiously, followed and supported by Gen. Hart's infantry brigade. It was found that the Boers had evacuated their position on Bushman's Kop during the night. A running fight has been proceeding throughout the day, the British gradually advancing and the Boers losing ground. General Brabant is moving in a northeasterly direction, keeping Basuntoland close on his right flank. Thousands of Basutos are watching the operations. Our casualties so far are 25 wounded.

The British are bixouacking to-night, according to the latest report night with

paring to retire.

A stubborn fight is believed to have oc-

A stubborn light is believed to have occurred in the direction of Dewetsdorp, where the Boers are in strong force with a lot of guns and where also there is a relief column, apparently Gen, Rundle's, Wepener, however, is already practically relieved by the withdrawal of a large portion of the besiegers.

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE

Eighty-First Anniversary of the Order

ast street, last evening and sat down to n excellent collation prepared by Bro. D. R. Pottinger, of the Ideal provision tore, the occasion being the celebration of the eighty-first anniversary of the refer on the continent of America, and iso to give the brethren an opportunity of meet and listen to an address from frand Master Walsh, who is making a our of the Island lodges. The chair was occupied by J. H. Meldram, P. G. M., he having on his right the Grand dister and Fred. Davey, Grand Secreary; and on his left Joseph E. Philips, P. G. M., and E. Bragg, D. D. excellent collation prepared by Bro. P. G. M., and E. Bragg, D. D.

Ethel Green, an infant prodigy, aniss Educing Green, an initiant prodigy, favored the audience with a comic diffy entitled "Hello, Ma Baby," and in response to an encore recited with rare pathos for one of her years, "Guilty or Not Guilty?" A violin solo by another youthful genius, Master Edgar Fawcett, when every anish were the solution of the product of the solution of the solu

youthful genius, Master Edgar Fawcett, also earned an encore, which was responded to, he being accompanied on the piano by his mother. Mrs. R. W. Fawcett, and Mr. Longfield, Jr., respectively.

Bro. F. E. Simpson, of Cranbrook, being present, was called on by the chairman, and made a few pointed and pleasant remarks regarding the order and the esteem in which he held it.

Bro. C. W. Jenkinson sang the tatest patriotic song, "Rat:atat-too," which was followed by "Nancy Lee," by Bro. Samuel Reid.

was followed by "Nancy Lee," by Bro. Sanuel Reid.

A vote of thanks was proposed by Bro. Fred. Davey, carried and tendered by the chairman to the splendid orchestra which throughout the evening enlivened the proceedings with their excellent instrumental music, the performers being as follows: Messrs. Longfield. Sr. and Jr.; S. D. Schultz W. Duck, L. Foster, Edgar Fawcett, W. H. Huxtable and W. Jackson.

The entertainment concluded with "God Save the Queen."

A woman who is weak, nervous and sleenless, and who has cold hands and feet, cannot feel and act l'ke a we'l person. Carter's Iron Pills equalize the circulation, remove nervousness, and give strength and rest.

A Detective's Mission.—Detective Estabrook of Whatcom was here on Sunday evening looking for parties who are connected with a robbery which occurred. in the little town across the strails a few days ago, when a quantity of silver-ware was stolen. No trace of the men dooked for was obtained and the detective passed on to the Sound this morning. NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL.

Airy Disposal of Japanese Problem Trinidad Enterprise-St. George's Banquet.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, April 23.-The House took recess for two hours this afternoon to enable the members to attend the funeral of Mr. Hale. Sympathetic references to the late member were made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Fielding.

Fielding.

Sir Hibbert Tupper arrived to-day. He declines to discuss the political situation in British Columbia.

Col. Prior at the St. George's banquet to-night made an eloquent reply to the toast to the boys at the front.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier to-day read a statement from Deputy Minister Parmelee that the Japanese recently arrived in British Columbia are mostly destined for the States, and are not paupers as the Japanese government excise supervision over classes emigrating.

The adoption of a provincial prohibitory law was discussed all evening, but no conclusion was reached.

Sir Louis Davies told Mr. Kaulbach that the reciprocity treaty between Triniadad and the States does not discriminate against Canada. The papers regarding negotiations were presented to-day and show that Canada was simply played by the Trinidad delegates to secure better terms from the States.

Dynamite to Turn Trade

Buffalo Scheme to Block for a Season the Grain Shipment by Montreal.

Such the Plausible Theory of a Discovered Plot Against Welland Canal.

Niagara Falls, April 23.—Chief Young and Detective Main, assisted by Buffalo detectives, have probably unearthed a gang of dynamiters operating from the far are 25 wounded.
ritish are bixouacking to-night, to the latest report, eight miles epener and the Boers, who are Col. Dalgety appear to be prepared.

Y. the Rosalie Hotel here, and Buffalo, N. Y., by rounding up John Walsh, aged 27 years; John Nolan, 35 years of age, and Karl Bullman. They are retire. charged with having attempted to blow up lock 24 of the Welland canal on

The general impression is that this gang have been operating as hirelings to cripple the Welland canal to divert traffic to the upper lakes from Montreal to Buffalo. The accused will appear before Police Magistrate Logan to-day. A detachment of the 44th Battalion is guarding the court house to prevent any attempt of a mob from Buffalowhich it is reported is preparing to liberate the prisoners.

Thorold, April 23.—The departure of the dynamite suspects for Welland gaol this afternoon was witnessed by a large crowd of people. The trio were not much disturbed. They laughed and joked with utter indifference. Bullman was the most talkative and took occasion to speak in terms of disapproval of the quarters in which they had been kept in the town hall. Chief Inspector Murray, Detective Main and a number of constables went to Welland as escort. When the prisoners had been taken away the town began to assume its normal quietness. The officers returned from the county town late in the afternoon and at once resumed the task of

There has not been the slightest manifestation towards the suspected trio. People are asking, "What would have been done to three Canadians if they should have attempted to blow up Eric canal in New York State?" The consension of the Canadian State of the Canadian

FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

Programme for the Spring Meeting Throughout the Province.

The programme for the spring meeting of the farmers' institutes as arranged by the superintendent, Mr. J. R. Anderson, follows:
Tnesday, May 1, Cedar; Wednesday, May 2, Comox; Thursday, May 3, Courtenay: Friday, May 4, Parksville; Saturday, May 5, Alberni. Speaker, Mr. A. M. Stevens, Ellensburg, Wash, Subject, "The Dairy Cows."

Monday, May 7, Richmond: Tuesday, May

Cows."

Monday, May 7, Richmond: Tuesday, May 8, Central Park: Wednesday, May 9, Surrey; Thursday, May 10, Langley; Friday, May 11, Abbotsford: Monday, May 14, Laduers: Tuesday, May 15, Coquitlam, Speaker, Mr. H. L. Blanchard, Hadlock, Wash. Subjects, Root Crops, Poultry, Feeding and Management of Dairy Herd, Management of Crops on Dairy Farm.

Friday, May 18, Metchoshi; Saturday, May 19, Duncan; Monday, May 21, Saunich; Tuesday, May 22, Salt Spring; Wednesday, May 23, Nanatino, Speaker, Dr. James Withlycombe, viee-director Oregon, Subjects, Sheep as a Factor in Farm Economy, Sliage Ensilage, the Dairy Cow and Her Environment, Swine Husbandry, Rotation of Crops and Advantage Thereof. Saturday, May 26, Chilliwack; Monday, May 27, Agassiz; Tuesday, May 29, Mission, Speaker, Mr. D. A, Brodle, superintendent Puyalinp experiment station, Washington. Subjects and apranaed.

Thursday, May 31, Salmon Arm; Friday, June 1, Armstrong; Monday, June 4, Kellowna, Speakers and subjects of a granaed.

ranged.

New Buildings On All Sides

Contractors and Carpenters of Victoria Have no Cause for Complaint.

A Great Number of Residential and Commercial Structures Under Construction.

Although a considerable proportion of Victorians, largely through force of habit, insist that "times are not so good now as they used to be," it does not require more than a walk about the city to show that property owners have abundant confidence in the stability of the city and business in almost every line is growing to repuir line years perhaps that has witnessed more quiet, unostentatious building activity. This time it is not a boon or anything approaching approaching aboom—but the work goes on everywhere. Down at Esquimalt and Beaumont (as the new naval town by the canteen field is called) the music of he saw and the hammer is heard in all directions, and quite a busy little place has arisen, all in the past half year. At Oak Bay and in other suburban districts the growth of residential structures is constant and encouraging, while in the heart of the city one cannot look down any street without noting the piles of material that denote a new commercial building in course of erection. At the present time more than \$125,000 worth of building is actually in construction, \$119, 400 worth being included in the following incomplete summary, touching not at all on the Beaumont and other district building: The Vernon brick building, on Government street, was commenced in 1899 and is now rapidly approaching incomplete summary, touching not at all on the Beaumont and other district building: The Vernon brick building, on Government street, was commenced in 1899 and is now rapidly approaching incomplete summary, touching not at all investment of \$2,500, and 1910 the proposed to the same subjects as advised business of the same subjects as advised business of the same subjects as a few proposed by the content of the church to building in course of erection. At the proposed business of the same subjects as advised business of the same subjects as advised by the constitution

Trial of the Long Pending Action For

The case of Regina vs. Nichol, charged with libelling Messrs, Pooley and Turner in the Weekly Province in December, 1897, was brought up for re-trial

mer in the Weekly Province in December, 1897, was brought up for re-trial yesterday before Mr. Justice Drake and a jury composed of Messrs. J. G. Hay, James Sprinkling, F. G. Ray, R. A. Anderson, H. E. Mills, R. Margetts, J. Phillips, S. A. Bantly, F. Jewell, J. R. Stark, A. Lewis and C. Stallard.

Mr. Robert Cassidy appeared for Messrs. Turner and Pooley, who are prosecuting, and Mr. E. P. Davis, Q. C., and Mr. W. H. Langley for the defence. The case is familiar to the public, having been tried at the assizes in 1898, when the jury disagreed. The article complained of attacked Messrs. Turner and Pooley for acting as directors of companies while they were cabinet ministers.

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After Mr. Cassidy's opening address yesterday, a number of witnesses were called to prove the publication of the article in question and that Mr. Nichol was editor of the Frovince at the time the article appeared, and was writer of it.

The case will be continued at 11 this morning.

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assured, as the canvassing committee report to date having collected the splendid sum of \$500 from the storekeepers approached. Shooting has commenced at the Oak Bay grounds, where members report very favorably of the arrangements made. He's an absent-minded beggar, And 'e's gone off to the front, And 'ls' eart is true to England to the core; But there's 'eaps of consolation For the ones 'e's left at 'ome. For they know 'is canteen's stocked with ''Jesse Moore.'' A meeting will be held to-morrow, Wednesday, evening at 8 p.m., in Foresters' Hall, for organization purposes in the interests of the opposition. A full attend

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It is not often that the occasion presents itself for so pleasant an illustration of congregational affection as was given has tevening to Rev. J. A. Nicolaye by the members and adherents of St. Andrew's cathedral, in recognition of the completion by that good priest of the quarter century of his unostentations but devoted and eminently useful ministry.

Times have changed vastly since Father Nicolaye, He has from year to year gone about doing good—choosing to walk in the lowly path and be content with the knowledge of charities and kindness accomplished rather than attain the places of preferment that have been no infrequently tendered him by the church which full well knows his sterling worth. It is therefore with feelings of affection, command by but few, that the places of preferment that have been noinfrequently tendered him by the church which full well knows his sterling worth. It is therefore with feelings of affection, command by but few, that the places of preferment that have been noinfrequently tendered him by the church which full well knows his sterling worth. It is therefore with feelings of affection, command by but few, that the guest of honor at a little dinner party liven at the Palace on Yates street, at which the half, and after preliminary musical exercises. Mr. Meguade on behalf of the members of St. Andrew's presented the good priest, now "crowned with the silver of an honored life," with a basketful of silver (representing some \$250) and the following thoughtfully framed address:

Reverend and Belover Father: On this lyons and memorable occasion, your silver jublies in the prefer that the silver of an honored life," with a basketful of silver (representing some \$250) and the following thoughtfully framed address:

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A feeling reply was made by Father Nicolaye, and addresses were also made, appropriate to the interesting occasion, by Fathers Althoff and Dunckele, the following musical numbers completing the evening's pleasant proceedings:

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BRITISH COLUMBIA'S OFFER. Province Not Told of an Important Reply of the Colonial Secretary.

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In the House of Commons recently Col. Prior asked a question regarding British Columbia's offer to send a contingent to South Africa. Here is the Hansard report of the proceedings:

Mr. E. G. Prior (Victoria, B. C.)—As I see the Minister of Militia in the Hansard report of the proceedings:

Mr. E. G. Prior (Victoria, B. C.)—As I see the Minister of Militia in the Hanse to-night, I want to ask him a question, if he will give me his ear. When I am addressing him, I think it is only proper courtesy on his part to turn around and listen to what I have to say. The Minister of Militia and Defence (Mr. Borden)—I do not want any lecture from you about propriety.

Mr. Prior—A week or so ago the honorable gentleman promised that he would look into a matter I brought up in regard to the correspondence that was brought down in connection with the offer of British Columbia to send a contingent to South Africa. The last letter given in that correspondence is dated the 16th of February. when Mr. Chamberlain telegraphed that the Imperial government would defray all the expenses of the transportation to South Africa. I asked if there was not some more correspondence, and the right honorable leader of the government said he did not know, as it had been referred to the Minister of Militia. The Minister of Militia. The Minister of militia on the 2nd of April said:

"Copies of all the papers in the department have been placed in that return, as far as I know. I will make further inquiry about it."

I would like to know if there is any further correspondence in the department?

The Minister of Militia and Defence—

between the Major-General and the militia department or the government. I would ask the honorable gentleman if there is no more correspondence?

The Minister of Militia and Defence—None.

Mr. Prior—Is this all the correspondence that the government think should be laid on the table? Is there any that is private and confidential?

The Minister of Militia and Defence—There is none whatever.

Mr. Prior—I suppose we must take the honorable gentleman's word for it.

The Minister of Militia and Defence—You can do as you like about that,

Mr. G. E. Foster (York, N. B.)—As the Minister of Militia is in such a good mood, I would like to ask him if it will suit his honor some time before the house prorgues to bring down those canteen papers?

The Minister of Militia and Defence—Certainly.

Mr. Foster—Generally, when I was a minister, when I was asked a question I took off my hat and rose to my feet and gave a polite answer; but now manners have changed under the new Liberalism, and the Minister of Militia sits in his seat with his hat on and says, "No more."

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

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Chicago April 23.—The following quota-lons ruled on the board of trade: Open. High. Low. Close. July Corn-May 38½ 38% 37½
Pork— May 12.50 12.50 12.30 12.45 Liverpool Wheat-.....5s 87/sd

New York, April 23, -The following quota-					
tions ruled on the stock exchange:					
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	
Amn. Sugar		106	1011/2	106	
C. B. & Q	125	1251/2	12476	12514	
C. M. & St. P		1201/4	1191/6	1193%	
Manhattan	93	93%	921/2	931/4	
People's Gas	101%	10234	101	10234	
C. R. I. & P		109	1081/4	108%	
Amn, Tob	1001/2	103%	10045	10374	
Atchison pdf	691/2	691/2	6898	691/4	
U. P. pfd	7514	751/4	74%	7514	
Tenn. Coal & Iron.	821/2	84	811/4	8334	
Atchison com	25%	2574	251/4	2578	
L. & N	82	82%	8116	82%	
B. R. T	721/2	75	$72\frac{1}{2}$	741/4	
N. P. pfd	75%	76	75%	76	
U. P. com	56%	56%	55%	5698	
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THE NOMINATIONS.

The Conservative convention last night the course of the four late represents tives of the city of Victoria and renom- Joseph Martin." mated them. The vote on Mr. Phillipps Wolley's name may be taken as repreminated it looks, from the standpoint of formed who the legal authority is whom practical politics, as if the action of the th Lieutenant-Governor has consulted at the situation in the slightest degree, for less we are to understand that while the we are just where we were six weeks Lieutenant-Governor was apparently givago, and there is to be no appeal to the ing his confidence and looking for adat least, on federal lines.

to this constituency. We hope the Libiership. Therefore if we accept the reported as destined to other points, erals who are opposed to Mr. Martin World's statement as accurate and officeroral observers have for some years will see their way clear to giving this cial, the Lieutenant-Governor has all ticket their hearty endorsement and not along been in consultation with some other candidates.

Now that nominations have been made we hope to see an active campaign inaugurated. There has already been too advice the will of the representatives of much delay. Only six weeks remain in the people has been flouted, and the prewhich to work for good government, and rogative has been extended so that what it must not be forgotten that we have is practically a personal government has an opponent who is aggressive and re- replaced responsible government in Britsourceful. If a strong fight is put up, Victoria will easily lead the way in crushing Martinism before it is too late to save the province from irreparable

THE WAR.

During the last few days frequent reference has been made in the despatches to the Caledon river. This stream is an with any others than his responsible minimportant affluent of the Orange river and flows from the north. For a considerable distance it forms the boundary be tween Basutoland and the Free State. Wepener, where Brabant's Horse is, lies to the east of the Caledon and therefore the river must be crossed by our relieving force. It must also be crossed by the Boers if they retreat towards the Tarte in a very gracious light before the north, which may account for the statement that they are moving towards the

Bradford. We do not find any such place would accept British rule as the French on the map and Brandfort may be meant. in Canada had done. But what we take The news of the capture of two of our men out of a patrol of ten might very the exceedingly lukewarm tone in which well apply to that locality, as our advance he spoke of the assistance given by Canposts are very near Brandfort.

MR. MARTIN'S TOUR.

Premier Martin is not finding everything lovely in the course of his tour through the Interior. At Ashcroft he received a very poor greeting. The meeting was about to pass a resolution declaring that it had no confidence in Mr. Martin and his government, when he proposed to withdraw from the room, and was actually going out, when Mr. Denis Murphy, who is the candidate opposing Mr. Beebe, arose and asked the mover of the resolution to withdraw it and give Mr. Martin a chance. This was done, and Mr. Martin proceeded to talk for more than on which he was going to leave, which rendered any reply to him impossible,

uestions propounded by the Colonist. The Ashcroft Journal says he "was survey of the route and did not know whether it was feasible or not, and furthis meeting, but it was clearly hostile o him, says the Journal. At Lytton Mr. Martin was unable to get a hearing for Mr. Beebe. On the whole Mr. Martin does not appear to be having quite the sort of a picnic he expected when

WHO IS THE MAN?

The Vancoucer World deals at some length with what it alleges is the atti-tude of the Colonist and Sir Hibbert Supper towards the Lieutenant-Governor. We are not greatly concerned about what our contemporary may feel called upon to say on this subject, for differences of opinion must be expected in political matters. As Pudd'inhead William plenty of admirers in Nelson, he has son remarks about horse racing: "It's a difference of opinion that makes politics." selves in his interest. But in the course of its article, the World makes a statement, with which we, in common with all other British Columbians, are much concerned. It is H. Mackintosh. The ideas advanced as follows:

"Perhaps it may interest the people to learn that not a single step taken by His Honor was taken without consul-tation with the best legal counsel, and only after the most careful examination of every side of the question. The reasons for the dismissal of the Semlin government have been stated; they will be very properly declared its approval of defended on the floor of the House by

The language here used appears to have been deliberately chosen so as to give senting the strength of the straight party the statement an official character. This lines element. As the matter has ter- being the case, we demand to be inconservative Association has not helped every step. It cannot be Mr. Martin, unvoters of Victoria by the Conservatives, vice to Mr. Semlin and his colleagues, he The four gentlemen who have been to whose compulsory resignation from the named made excellent representatives in cabinet he had assented. We do not the last legislature, and there is no reason believe that His Honor consulted with 000 people have already arranged to g why they should not receive the same Mr. Martin at any time between his revote as they did when they last appealed signation and his acceptance of the premises northeast of Calgary, and others are complicate matters by putting up any undisclosed adviser. At the advice of this person, whoever he may be, governments have been dismissed and other governments have been formed. At his ish Columbia.

Who is the man?

Who is this undisclosed minister a whose advice governments are dismissed? The World has told too little or too much. The Lieutenant-Governor owes it British institutions, these people from the to himself to have the most public denial made that he has been in consulta-

MR. TARTE IN PARIS.

Mr. Tarte has been interviewed is Paris, and making every allowance for coloring which the interviewer may have injected into what the minister said, we must say that the report does not put Mr. people of Canada. Very naturally the chief topic dwelt upon was the relation of Canada to the Empire, especially as Evidently there has yet been no north-disclosed by the assistance given to the ward advance in force from Bloemfon-Imperial arms in South Africa. Not very tein, and it is a matter of surprise that much exception can be taken as to what nothing more has been heard as to the he says as to French-Canadian loyalty to fighting reported six miles north of Glen the Empire. We quote: "Lest I should fighting reported six miles north of Glen Station. We incline to the view that be misunderstood, remember that we are things are not as quiet as the despatches indicate.

The movement of the Canadians toward Springfield is to be taken in connection with the attack upon the Boers loyalt of the French-Canadians is based at the French-Canadians is based on the Boers of the Empire. We are always a springfield is to be taken in connection with the attack upon the Boers loyalty of the French-Canadians is based on the Boers of the Empire. We quote: "Lest I should going down the Yukon as long as there is open water. But the Nome district is not very large, although there may be new finds. On the other hand, there is known to be a vast area in Canadian to the French-Canadians is based on th at Le Euw Kop, which lies east of on "reasons," not on sentiment, and we Bloemfontein. Roberts despatched parts suppose this is as much as we have a of our first and second contingents and right to expect. At the same time Mr. Strathcona's Horse. Our men seem to Tarte would have only shown a decent have done their work well, although not being supported and night coming on races in Canada if he had taken the prevented the complete overthrow of the trouble to point out that these reasons are enemy, who were able to retreat east- such as, when understood, will commend ward. This movement appears to have thiselves to all lovers of freedom every been quite successful, and our men where. He did better, according to his It now occupies very much the sam though opposed to a heavy fire have secret another success.

The despatches referred yesterday to the many days to the Transval, for he told either been set aside as unconstitutional either been set aside as unconstitutional most exception to in the interview is ada in South Africa and the question which he raised as to the probability of the Dominion co-operating with the home government in future. While categorical exception cannot be taken to any one thing he said, the flavor of the whole of it is offensive to loyal citizens of the Empire. He had an excellent opportunity to place Canada in her true light be-

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> fore the French people, and he wholly

failed to take advantage of it. If he

the hour being 11 p.m. At North Bend | had desired to give comfort to the anti Mr. Martin was put through his facings British element in France, which doe not want to believe that colonial loyalty in regard to his proposed Coast-Kootenay not want to believe that colonial loyalt railway, and was asked some of the and assistance can be relied on in futur emergencies by the British government forced to admit while speaking of the Coast-Kootenay railway that he had 20 not say anything that can be squarely not say anything that can be squarely met and denied, he undoubtedly conveyed the impression that too much ha ther that if it proved impracticable he been made of what Canada has done and would not build it." Mr. Beebe was at is ready to do. Mr. Tarte is not a proper representative of his fellow-country men or of Canadians in general at Paris

> Referring to the investment of the White Pass & Yukon in a hydraulic plant for Atlin, the Colonist editorially stated the amount at \$10,000, a cyphe having been dropped in composition.
> The amount is \$100,000, as was correctly stated in the local reference to the same subject.

The Nelson Tribune says that the Con servatives and Liberals of that city will probably select Mr. G. Frank Beers as their candidate at the forthcoming provincial election. Mr. Beers is a Liberal. selves in his interest.

We print an interview which the Winnipeg Free Press had with Mr. C. are very similar for the most part to those which the Colonist has advocated He is very strongly averse to the attempt to divide the voters on federal ines and expressed the opinion that it annot be done.

Unless all signs fail, there will be orrid period within the municipality to morrow night, when Mr. Joseph Martin proceeds to turn down Senator Templ nan at the Liberal convention. What uccess will attend Mr. Martin's effort remains to be seen, as the morgue-keeper said to the visitor; but it will be a pretty be needlessly interrupted. fight which ever way it goes. Like the roman in the story, who during the tussle between her husand and a fine grizzly exclaimed alternately: "Go it, husband; go it, bear," the Conservatives an afford to maintain an attitude of disinterested amusement.

was secretly consulting with Mr. Martin, ple from the Middle Western States into our Northwest Territories. A Detroit despatch says that between 2,500 and 3, to a location near Buffalo Lake, which realized that such a movement as this would certainly take place. It corresponds to the German movement into Western Russia. Given a wide extent of farming land divided between two nations only by a line drawn on the map, and it is impossible to prevent home-seek ers—from—discregarding—the—terri torial distinction. new comers will We believe these citizens, and although many persons may think that they may be predisposed igainst British connection, we do not hink this will be found to be the case When once they have learned the de ree of freedom enjoyed by all unde republic will be quite content to leave our institutions as they are,

From present indications there may be two or three gold fields in the Yukon and Alaska to attract the attention of miners during the present year. seems to be little doubt that valuable headwaters of the Big Salmon, which district is just north of the British Columbia line. Good news also comes from the Stewart River, and there are excellent reports from Kuyakuk, which is in Alaska but can be best reached through our territory. The greatest ex-citement will be at Cape Nome, but in the nature of things this will occupy at tention only for a few months, as navigation closes early in Behring Sea, al though we suppose people will continue cation with the interior have been progoing anywhere in the North than in other parts of the Continent, we look ments.

The Times is studiously moderate in its references to anti-Oriental legislation or been disallowed as contrary to Im perial policy is not one that will commend itself to thinking men. There is complete unanimity of sentiment in this province as to the desirability of restrict ing Oriental immigration; , but the very great majority of the people believe there is a right and a wrong way of going about this desirable thing. views of British Columbians on subject are very well known both at Ottawa and London. They are also well understood in Japan. We think there is abundant evidence of a desire on the part of the Dominion government, the Imperial government and that of Japan to prevent any such influx of Japanese into this province as will inter fere with it remaining "a white man's country." We will simply require to exercise a little patience. The subject is not an easy one to handle, and if an attempt is made to dispose of it off-hand serious error may be committed, and the friendly relations that we all wish to see maintained between Great Britain



members of the permanent militia corps and of the Mounted Police. We suppose that as a matter of fact the per sons whom it is proposed thus to dis franchise will be just as well please to be relieved of the necessity of taking part in campaigns, and there is some objection to allowing men who are in the military and quasi-military service of the country to identify themselves with any political party; but we confess to a Gisline to any measure which propose to restrict the franchise by taking i away from persons possessing all the qualifications of a voter. While speaking of this, we may add the hope that some one will introduce an amendment into the bill, if the provision is not already there, providing that the mem bers of the Canadian contingents serving in South Africa shall not be de prived of a right to vote, if otherwise entitled, because of absence from the country. That is, that the period of their service in South Africa shall count as if they were resident

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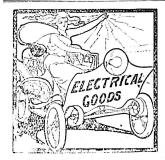
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The Police Court .- Two drunks and a

icyclist who rode on the sidewalk were p before Magistrate Hall yesterday and he usual fines were imposed.

Rehearsal To-day.—A rehearsal for Mrs. Pemberton's minuet, to be given in connection with the patriotic concert on the 23rd of May, takes place at the Vic-toria Theatre this afternoon.

Schools Re-open.—After an extended Easter vacation the public schools of Victoria re-opened yesterday with increased first-day attendances. The drainage at the Spring Ridge school has been vastly improved during the vacation.

Jesse Moore "AA" whiskey is used at all principal hospitals in the United States. Why is it?

St. George's Day.—All the flagstaffs at the public schools were adorned with the Union Jack yesterday in honor of St. George's Day, and there was a liberal display of bunting generally throughout the city.

Rabbits as Plague Carriers.—Considerable alarm is expressed in Australia lest the bubonic plague be spread by the rabbits, and a commission has been appointed to investigate the possibility of rabbits and rats carrying the dread disease. A report that rabbits had introduced the plague in northern Victoria has caused a panic in that colony.

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Epworth League.—The usual monthly social gathering of the members of the Epworth League was held in the hall of the Metropolitan church last night, under the presidency of Mr. Knott. A short valedictory address to the members of the league was given by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Speer, after which a varied programme, consisting of song, recitations and readings, was gone through. Mrs. Knott presided at the organ.

Church Parade,-But 170 men of the Fifth Regiment turned out for the spring church parade. The men marched from the drill hall to the Metropolitan Methodist church, making a splendid appearance. At the church Rev. R. Hughes preached an appropriate sermon and the choir was assisted by the band. The parade state showed that there were present 4 field officers, 3 staff officers, 2 captains, 3 subalterns, 7 staff sergeants, 16 sergeants and 135 rank and file.

A New Mining Field.—A new placer mining field reputed infultely richer than Klondike is described in glowing terms by residents of Victoria colony, Australia, in letters just received by friends here. The auriferous territory is in the vicinity of Wedderburn, less than three score miles from Melbourne, which had been roughly prospected though without material results years ago. Recently one John Boyd recorded an alluvial claim and commenced work within the town limits of Wedderburn. He had just begun putting down a hole, and had sunk two feet, when he struck a nugget weighing 61 onnees, or of a value of £240. His find of course filled the district with miners, and many rich claims are now being worked. The discovery nugget is, however, the best individual piece of gold yet uncovered.

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The Old Four Are Nominated:

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The Victoria Liberal-Conservative As ociation at a meeting held last evening nominated the four late representatives to again contest the city. There was but one other nominee, Capt. Clive Phillipps-Wolley, and upon the result of the poll being announced he moved to make the nominations unanimous, a motion which was carried with the greatest enthusiasm. The candidates pledged themselves to work and vote against the government of Hon. Joseph Martin and every member thereof. The vote was as follows:

 J. H. Turner.
 165

 H. D. Helmeken
 162

 A. E. McPhillips
 130

 Richard Hall
 125

 Clive Phillipps-Wolley
 86

Clive Phillipps-Wolley... 86

When the meeting was called to order by the chairman, Mr. A. J. McLellan, Mr. George Jeeves introduced a resolution expressing confidence in the late representatives, and proposed that they again be nominated. This was discussed at considerable length, but it was decided to nominate the candidates singly, the motion to do this being followed by a rider pledging the candidates to oppose Hon. Joseph Martin and his government.

Mr. Belyea started the ball rolling by nominating Mr. J. H. Turner, and the other nominations following in quick succession, no speeches being made.

Just before the votes had been counted Mr. Hall was ushered in by his friends, and when the poll was announced took the platform and stated that he was quite willing to take the pledge to oppose

Mr. Hall was ushered in by his friends, and when the poll was announced took the platform and stated that he was quite willing to take the pledge to oppose Premier Martin and the members of his government, in and out of the house. Although he differed from the members of the association on Dominion politics, he said he felt that they could work together for the best interests of the province. He thanked those present for the confidence they had reposed in him. Mr. Turner, in a short speech thanking the association for the nomination, said his platform would be practically the same as the one on which he had stood on previous occasions. The first thing to do was to regain for the province the credit which it had lost, during the last two years. When this was done the government would be in a position to carry out many needed works, developing the province and giving work to those in need of it. In doing this the farming as well as the mining industry would have to be remembered, railways and wagon roads being constructed and detailed surveys made of the isolated districts. It was hardly necessary for him to say that he was opposed to Premier Martin. He had been seen by Mr. Martin on several occasions, and had told that gentleman that he was no admirer of his policy. There were certainly some good things in his platform, but, like the good things in other platforms, they had been taken from the policy enunciated and worked out by the party that was in power for so many years in the province. He felt sure that with the assistance of those present the old four would be re-elected.

Mr. Helmeken thanked the meeting for nominating him and assured them that he was as strongly opposed to Premier Martin and his party as ever he was.

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Mrs. Hitchcock began her talk with an earnest and pathetic appeal for better hospital accommodation for Atlin. Speaking from her own experiences in that camp last year, she related a story of suffering which ought to appeal to the government of the province and secure at the very earliest day proper treatment at its hands for those who are unfortunate enough to become victims of siekness or accident in that part of the province.

The talk proper—Mrs. Hitchcock refuses to allow it to be called a lecture—was a graphic and interesting account of a journey from San Francisco to Dawson, by way of St. Michael. It abounded in character sketches which were very clever indeed; and in bits of description which made the heaver wish that Mrs. Hitchcock would employ her descriptive powers more largely, even if for that purpose it was necessary to subordinate the narrative portion of her talk.

She has a keen eye for the salient features of the country through which she travels, and a very happy faculty of expressing herself. Unfortunately the apparatus used in connection with the illustration of the talk became disarranged about the middle of the evening, and it was thought advisable by those having the entertainment in charge that Mrs. Hitchcock should stop at that pointwas thought advisable by those having the entertainment in charge that Mrs. Hitchcock should stop at that pointwas thought advisable by those having the entertainment in charge that Mrs. Hitchcock should stop at that pointwas thought advisable by those having the entertainment in charge that Mrs. Hitchcock is only

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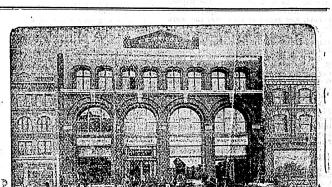
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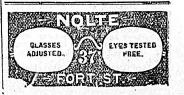
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of 6 to 3, approved of the imposi-of half a mill for the purpose of g, and recommended that the work occeded with forthwith. re were present His Worship r Hayward, in the chair, and a full

first communication was one from Seabrook, of R.P. Rithet & Co., the cement which they had tenfor was the same as that pre-

ner & Company and ourselves, for if it was the intention of the city to award this contract to the Africa Iron Works Company, the council was not justified in making a cat's paw of the other firms, ibesides putting them to the expense necessary to obtain the information upon which to base their tenders. On the other hand, if no such intention existed on the part of the council, it is evident that the long letter of protest and withdrawal from the Albion Iron Works Company was insincere and intended to create Ialse ingressions. Nevertheless we respectfully submit that the council should be bound by this letter of withdrawal, in which case the Albion Iron Works Coupany cannot in all falmess be considered as a competitor for the contract. We therefore repeat that we are justly entitled to have the contract awarded to us, and again respectfully urge our claim to fair and proper consideration.

We remain, etc.

(Sgd.) NICHOLLES & RENOUF, I.f.d., Pet J. Micholles, President.

Ald. Stewart did not know what could

woved, as he wanted to put up a fence. Referred to city engineer for report. William Humphrey applied for the position of inspector of the building to be erected at North Dairy Farm. Leid upon the table.

F. S. Hussey forwarded a letter saying the provincial igovernment could not entertain the proposal to take charge of Thomas Waterhouse, who had applied for admission to the provincial home.

Ald. Beckwith explained that the man had not been x bona fide resident of the city for a sufficient length of time to get him admission to the Old Men's & Home.

The communication was received and filed.

W. Walker, in regard to the matter of coal supply for the city, complaized of being "shunted." He had furnished coal for seven years. Referred to purchasing agent, with instructions to purchase only from agents.

R. B. McMicking, on behalf of the telephone company, wrote assuring the council that the city's complaint regarding the inanner in which the city streets had been left by the conpuny's emission.

had been left by the company's em-ployees would be attended to. Referred

ployees would be attended to. Reference to city engineer.

The city engineer reported in regard to a number of minor improvements which had been referred to him. Received and filed.

The city engineer, re drainage at Mr. Gore's residence at Victoria Crescent, advised the council that he had received a plan of proposed councetion from Mr. Gore, offering \$20 as his proportion of the cost. Offer accepted and city engineers and to make necessary con-

say it will be necessary to construct of eet of pipe surface drain. Estimated cost, \$150., the remainder of the appropriation to be spent on gravelling the sides of the street, together with filling holes in the centre which may be deemed necessary. Re James Bay heldge: I would again recommend the above structure be repaired, and especially the sidewalk, as anentioned in my annual report for 1899. Estimated cost, \$45.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen, your obedient servant,

City Engineer.

The first clause being discussed, result

The fire wardens recommended the rechase of Paragon bose, to cost \$895. John Hyland Will Bring a Hundred

was in no shape now to pay its share out

was in no snape now to pay its same out of one year's revenue.

Aid. Yates thought the proper time to discuss the matter would be when the by-law came up; but he did not think much reliance could be placed upon getting legislation from the government this [617,079—John Currle, Montreal, P.Q., cartender. 4347,131—Cyrus S. Dean, Fort Ede, Ont.

ea in instructions being given the engineer to go ahead with the work and take funds from the sum provided for by Sewerage Rental by-law.

All clauses relating to sidewalks were laid over until meeting of street committee.

In regard to the clause proposing repairs to James Bay bridge, Ald. Yates thought a grave situation was created owing to the decision of the celebration committee to hold the fineworks display at a point where the crowd standing on James Bay bridge would be a memore to their safety.

Ald. Hall, though not accustomed to "displaying his oratory," as he explained it, was opposed to any additional taxation. He would be infavor of the impostion of half a mill, however.

Ald. Beckwith spoke in the same strain.

Ald. Brydon thought it would be well to have a report from the city engineer, was so instructed.

The clause referring to Chatham street improvement was referred to the street committee.

The report was then adopted as mended.

The city electrician recommended that certain necessary supplies be purchased. Referred to purchasing agent.

A. T. Williams and others of View street complained of the condition of a vacant building, formerly a Chinese concerned, if Mr. Alex. Wilson had two was concerned, if Mr. Alex. Wilson had the work concerned, if Mr. Alex. Wilson had the west concerned, if Mr. Alex. Wilson had the work concernation of the same forgotten the time, a petition of property owners would have been presented in forgotten the time, a vector of Ald. Beckwith though the work could be more money and the work could be more mo

ing division: Ayes: Aldermen Hall, Cooley, Yates, Stewart, Beckwith and Brydon, Noes: Alderman Kinsman, Wil-liams and Cameron. The council then adjourned.

PERSONAL.

Senator and Mrs. Templeman left for Ottawa on Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Shupe, wife of the purser of the steamer Alpha, has been removed to the hospital to undergo an operation for appendicitis,
Charles Hankinson, in advance of the Boston Lyric Opera Company, is at the Dominion.

F. E. Simpson, of the Cranbrook Herald, is in the city, He is-going to Cape Nome.

J. T. West, a brother of Wm. H. West.

ventors through the agency of Messra.
Marion & Marion, solicitors of patents,
New York Life Building, Montreal:
647,423-Freeman Payzant, Lockeport, N.
S., solderless can.
647,074-Samuel W. Butterfield, Three
Rilvers, P.Q., slab-barking machine.
646,095-Edwin C. Johnson, Shutesbury,
Mass., self-measuring faucet.
The following United States patents have
like been ground to Canadian inventors

647,352—Robert P. Woodil, Winnipeg Man., machinery for manufacturing bottles The Inventor's Help will be sent to any address upon receipt of 10 cents.

Auction Real Estate.—On Friday price of business property will be sold by Mr. Herbert Cathbert in the sale rooms on Langley street. This property consists of a lot on Broad street with a frontage of 33 feet and adjoins the Spencer arcade. A few years ago a cash offer of \$15,000 was refused by the owners.

Furniture Sale To-day.—A large quantity of valuable furnishings will be sold to-day at 2 p.m. in the sale rooms of the Cuthbert-Browne Company, Ltd., on Langley street. Parties furnishing will be able to secure good bargains as the auctioneer desires to make a clearance of the rooms.

Ald. Stewart did not know what could be done now. A blander had been made in the first place in accepting the Albon Iron Works Company's tender after the limit had expired, but the best thing to do now was to receive and file the letter, which was done.

A. E. McLean, of the Albino Cricket Club, thanked the connell for permission to play on the Beacon Hill grounds. The secretary of the Universal Brotherhood asked for a renewal of the city's subscription to the society's magazine. Referred to librarian with power to act.

Richard Drake wanted the sidewalk on lot 255, south side of Kane street.

opening last evening, when according to a private message to a member of the Colonist staff a really excellent performance was given. Russo, the new tenor, is spoken of in this wire as "simply great."

BELIEVES IN CLOTHES.

Eleven Trunks Required to Carry the

ny pronucast. Still Russe is hoppy, for he hears it not. His valet and private secre-tary get the blessings intended for their master.

guage, but by constant application he is rapidly surmounting this difficulty. Russo studied under Paccini and Rossi, the leading teachers of the Italian style of vocalization, and he has proved an apt and worthy pupil, reflecting credit upon his masters. He considers Don Jose in "Garmen" as his best role, and Manrico in "Il Trovatore," as a close second. This latter role, by the way, was the one in which he made his debut. "Physical development," remarked the tenor, "helps the volce, but must not be overdone. A liberal amount of exercise is excellent for the respiration, and strengthens the lungs. Bicycle riding, however, is injurious to the singer. This form of exercise would not be so deleterious did the rider keep the mouth closed and breathe through the nostrilis. Most riders though, spin along with their mouths wide open. Horseback riding is fine exercise, but walking and some simple gymnasium

results may be expected. Greasy food and very cold or hot drinks should also be avoided, but sainds can be recommended. In case an artist has a cold, no medicine should be used. A few drops of turpentine dropped in a dish of hot water, and the fumes then inhaled, is sufficient treatment. In breathing these fumes the face must be held close down over the mixture.

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Esquimalt, April 22.

THE FOOTBALL OFFER.

Sir: I noticed in your paper Saturday a letter sent to the committee of sports for the 24th by Mr. Schwengers, regarding football. As the Kunloops team are team from Washington played at Beacon Hill, and was watched with great interest by lundreds of spectators, and as the teams are willing to play on any ground, and at any time, the committee may select, it comes to show the great desire they have to take part in the cetter of the committee will decide on this game.

FOOTBALL.

SIR: In reply to "Kleker's" letter in yours of yesterday, asking "Who are these Illitt BROS. REPLY.

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while capital has to be protected labor has coherent right that should never be overlooked. Had both sides been consulted the trouble recently arising in certain portions of British Columbia might have been guarded against. This was proved when the miners and mine owners came face to face and both in Rossland and the Slocan agreed to compromise. Mr. Clute, of Toronto, and Raiph Smith, of Nanaimo, the labor candidate in the field, were both instrumental in establishing this fact, and I may say that while it was represented that miners would indulge in breaches of law and order, unless vouchsafed everything they asked, nothing could be more unfair or unjust. I can not call to mind one instance of improper conduct on the part of the miners. I can call to mind that all whom I have spoken to were only too anxious for an amicable settlement.

"It must be remembered that it was not alone to nine owners and miners that the depression throughout the province was attributed. The South African war was a serious factor and the unexpected reduction of shipping from War Engle and Centre Star did much to destroy the then extended the start of the Sir: In reply to "Kicker's" letter in yours of yesterday, asking "Who are these Hitt Bros.?" we would like to ask in the first place who is this "Kicker," and will be please enlighten us as to the whereabouts of the "middlemen and host of others" mentioned by him as sharing in our profits, as they may materially affect our being able to carry on the business.

As to who we are, we may Inform Mr. "Kicker" that we are loyal British subjects, and as such, do not intend to publish our family history for his special benefit; but if he will kindly call at our place of business, on Esquimait road, opposite Rassell Station, we will endeavor to give him satisfaction as to our being able to act up to the articles of agreement entered into between the city committee and our selves; also that the fireworks are manufactured from start to finish on properly selves; also that the fireworks are manufactured from start to finish on properly licensed premises by experienced men, viz., Trusting Mr. "Kicker" will give us an

opportunity of personally enlightening him on the subject, and also, Mr. Editor, that we have not over-trespassed on your valu-able space, we are HITT BROS

POLITICS AND MINING.

Ex-Governor Mackintosh Wants an Administration Composed of Practical Men.

From the Winnipeg Free Press.

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Mr. Charles H, Macklintosh, of Rossland,
cx-lieugenant-governor of the N. W. T., accompanied by his wife and daughter, Mrs.
Castaline, arrived from the West yesterday, and are guests at Government House.
They will leave to-morrow for the East,
where Mr. Macklintosh will attend several
meetings in connection with mining corporations with which he has interests.
A Free Press reporter called on the exGovernor and had an interesting conversation with him on British Columbia politics and mining. Asked if he would be a
candidate for the legislature, he said he
had accepted the nomination of Rossland
ridling, not because he was ambitious for
legislative honors, but because throughout
the greater portion of British Columbia
the desire seeme dto be that he should unite
with others having large interests in the
province. Asked for his views on necessary legislation for the province, Mr. Mackintosh said:
"It is well known that I am in favor of

"It is well known that I am in favor of an administration composed of those whose practical experience would enable them to deal properly with all departmental details. I strongly favor the enlargement of the powers of the labor and statistical bureau by the appointment of an official who will not as mediator and conciliator where mismouth the strong or an interest throughout the West mything the pointment of an official who will not as mediator and conciliator where mismouth by Using Dr. Chase's

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ly abroad. Little is known by the out-side world of its vast resources and of the

sue world of its vast resources and of character of the population. As an stance of the growth, he states that o 19 voters were in the list at Rossland 1836 for the voting for the House of Comons, and to-day there are 2,000 for provincial house.

TROPHIES FOR ROAD RACES.

Offered at the Annual Meeting of the

C.R.C.-A. J. Dallain a Vice-

The club's competition prize was won by the Toronto Ramblers, and the gold medal for the Lastest 20 miles in competition went to John Smith, of the Q.C.B.C., his record being 58.57. The fastest ten miles of the year stands to the credit of R. E. Axton, of Paris, at 27 minutes flat, made at Ottawa last August.

In view of disputes that arose last year a number of amendments to the constitution were adopted, as follows:

"The referee of a road race must be recommended by the district and approved by the chief centurion, and the referemust give his decision on a protest within 24 hours after a race.

"The disqualification of one or more riders in a team event does not necessarily disqualify his team from winning the race if the balance of the team scores a sufficient number of points to do so.

"The riders shall be scored at the finish in the order they complete the course, the first in to count as many points as there are competitors in the race, and so on down. In the event of a rider being disqualified the next rider to finish is moved up one point, and all the riders moved up one point, and all the riders moved up one point each."

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R. C. Ripley is the new C.R.C. president, and A. J. Dallain one of the vice-presidents (being district centurion as well), while S. John Schulte of Toronto remains secretary-treasurer.

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37—Cadboro and Richmond roads.

41—Quadra and Pandora streets.

42—Chatham and Blanchard streets.

43—Calcdonia and Cook streets.

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45—Spring Ridge.

51—Doughas and Discovery streets.

52—Government and Princess avenue.

53—Kings road and Second street.

54—Fountain, Douglas street and Hillside avenue.

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THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, April 23.—8 p.m. SYNOPSIS.

The pressure is highest off the Washington coast and shallow depressions cover the eastern portion of the province and the southern portion of the Territories. The weather has been generally fair west of the Hockies with seasonable temperatures, TEMPERATURES.

	Min,	Max.		
Victoria	. 44	56		
New Westminster	. 38	58		
Kamloops	. 36	64		
Barkerville	. 38			
Calgary	. 30	58		
Winnipeg	. 40	80		
Portland, Ore	. 36	62		
San Francisco	. 50	64		
FORECASTS.				

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time) Tuesday: toria and Vicinity—Moderate winds partly cloudy and cool.

Lower Mainland-Partly cloudy; not much change in temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Reports for 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Observations taken daily at 5 a.m., noon and 5

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NEW WESTMINSTER.

Joshua Davies

AUCTIONEER

Mortgagee's Sale

Tuesday, May 8th, 1900 things to beremembered.

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

At my saleroom, Board of Trade Building, under powers contained in a certain mort-gage, dated 1st March, 1808, and registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office, in Charge Book, Volume 15, Follo 47, No. 2858D, the following bereditaments situate in the City of Victoria and known and numbered on the Official plan as

Lot 16, Block 12

Adjoining Dr. Frank Hall's Office. Yates Street, having a frontage of 60 feet by a depth of 120 feet. Terms at sale,

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Reconstructed.

'After six weeks' stay on the Victoria marine railway, with from 25 to 35 ship curpenters employed upon her, under the supervision of Mr. J. Clark, the C. P. N. Co.'s steamer R. P. Rithet was refloated at high tide last night, and takes position in company with the Charmer this morning, while her re-equipment is pushed to completion. During the past month and a half great changes have been brought about by Mr. Clark and month and a half great changes have been brought about by Mr. Glark and his large force of expert workmen. Not only has the Rithet been overhauled and improved in the general acceptation of the term—she has indeed been virtually re-built, and when she resumes duty will be stronger and better and more adapted to her service than when she was originally constructed. During her re-construction some 25 water-tight compartments have been provided for, more than in any other vessel in Northwest waters, as a result of which it will be practically impossible to sink the vessel should any accident occur—holes might be punched through her in two or three different places, yet still (thanks to the scientifically arranged compartments) the steamer would be able to continue on her way, safe and unsinkable, repairing at her own convenience. The first operation after the steamer was drawn out was to completely gut her—machinery, housework, everything being taken out. The frame was then renewed wherever it showed the slightest sign of wear, and all the longitudinal keelsons were replaced with larger ones, two extra keelsons being run through the ship and up to the deck. All the thwart ship bulkheads were also renewed, making 25 watertight compartments, and the centre keelsons, as well as the bulkheads, trussed like a bridge. New deck frames—new decks—new house sides—new house ides—new house ides—new house sides—new house sides—new

newed, making 20 Watertight comparements and the centre keelsons, as well as the bulkheads, trussed like a bridge. New deck frames—new decks—new house sides—ney cylinder timbers to hold the machinery—new houses, came in turn; while the boilers and machinery have been so gone over as to be practically new, and the up-take and smokestack are just from the foundry. On the main (or freight) deck the same general plan has been followed in the reconstruction of the housework; and the same may be said of the upper or cabin deck. The latter, as soon as the painters are through with their contract, will be a revelation in the beauties of white and gold—re-carpeted, completely refurnished, and outfitted on a scale of luxury unsurpassed on any steamer plying in Northwest waters. It will be two or three weeks yet ere the Rithet will be ready to return to service, but she will then commend herself to the travelling public as one of the staunchest, safest, fastest_and most_comparished vessels running out of a British Columbia port. The C. P. N. Company are not confining their attentions to the improvement and renovation of their existent fleet, however. At the same shippard where the Rithet has been re-constructed, the frame is up and dryfing for "a handsome coasting freighter, with limited accommodation for passengers also. She is to be 135 feet in length overall, with 24 feet beam, or somewhat larger than the Willapa, and will be fitted with the Rainbow's machinery, thoroughly overhauled.

AND STILL THEY COME.

Braemar Brings a Thousand Odd Japanese, and Empress of China Follows.

Patron Saint.

Yesterday saw flags flying proudly from almost every prominent building in Victoria, while men and women everywhere wore ribbons and laurel leaves in honor of the anniversary of Albion's patron saint. St. George's Day is usually celebrated with a modesty characteristic of the greatest nation under the never-setting sun, but this year it was a slight exception.

In the evening the amalgamated Sons and Daughters of St. George gathered in the A. O. U. W. hall for their annual reunion. Some three hundred ladies, gentlemen and children were in attendance, and President G. H. Allan of the men's lodge acted as master of ceremonies, the committee including Mesdames Mulcahy, Greenhalg and Penseth, with Messrs. George Penketh, Heald, Hallam, Jeeves, Parsons, Price, Rivers and Charlesworth.

The annual banquet of the united orders was served by the ladies, the tables being set in the form of an immense St. George's cross, and tastefully decorated with ferns and flowers, the symbolic rose being everywhere in evidence, while the spread was fit for any king. Games for the younger folk followed; and then a programme in connection with which songs were contributed by Miss Penketh, Mr. George Penketh, Mr. Percy Richardson, Mr. Allan and Master Leonard Lucas, several of the gentlemen also giving shot addresses fervent with patriotism.

Dancing to the excellent music of the Shelby-Davis orchestra concluded the agreeable anniversary proceedings. China Follows.

There was another procession of Japanese from the outer dock to the boarding houses last night, the total arrivals of immigrants from Mikadoland since January 1 being brought to 7,036 by the arrival of the N. P. steamship Braemar, while the Empress of China (due to-day) will further augment the total, as she is known to have 600 Asiatic steerage passengers. The Braemar's contribution is 1,056, and passing these through the purification process kept the steamer all yesterday at the quurantine station. It is only to land Japanese that the Braemar comes here, her destination being Portland, to which city she proceeds this morning. Although British Columbians have been congratulating themselves that this province is not to be the abiding place of the incoming Japanese hordes—that all would soon find their way across the boundary line, there to work on the American railroads—there is danger of a disappointment in this connection. The United States immigration officers have taken alarm at the numbers of Japa coming in, and are proceeding to extreme measures to prevent their settling in the States. Strict attention is being From the Seattle Times.

Persons who hereafter obtain contracts from the county to perform improvements where any considerable amount of labor is employed will be henceforth required by the county commissioners to give the board substantial assurance that cheap labor will not be employed. A firm of contractors, who recently obtained the contract for improving two roads were to-day informed by Chairman Gilson in behalf of the county that if in the future they hope to have their bids considered for similar work it would be necessary for them to dismiss from their employ a large gang of Japanese workmen who are now said to be engaged in the work under way. Following is a copy of a letter written to the offending firm by Mr. Gilson to-day:

"Bailey & Wilson, Fremont, Wash.: The board of county commissioners has been informed that you are supplying Japanese labor on the road contracts recently awarded to you by King county. We do not countenance the hiring of cheap labor on any contract given by this board. You will lease take notice this taken alarm at the numbers of Japs coming in, and are proceeding to extreme measures to prevent their settling in the States. Strict attention is being paid to the enforcement of the alien labor law, and as a result some thousands of coolies who quite intended working in the United States may soon be forced upon the population of this province. More than half of the little army of Japs brought by the Goodwin have, according to telegraphic reports, remained in this province to find work in the canneries and for the canneries; while at least 100 of the Milos' contribution are going into the mines of Yale and Carliboo. Despatches from Helena. Montana, state that the influx of Japanese by way of Victoria is exciting serious consideration by the labor bodies of that state, and action toward restraining their entry into the United States will be taken through representations to Congress. The Great Northern railway is looked upon as the prospective employer of a majority of the new arrivals, and the labor organizations are watching closely to see that the contract labor law is not evaded by this corporation. cheap labor on any contract given by this board. You will please take notice that

THE CALIFORNIA LINERS.

Holiday Travel Begins Early-Japanese Must Produce Bills of Health.

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from San Francisco for this city; while the Queen (going South to-night) carries a larger number of saloon passengers than have booked on any steamer for months past. This is accounted for through the holiday season having opened early, although apparently in earnest. The Queen also has for her steerage between 35 and 50 Japanese from this city, a class not especially welcomed by the California authorities. They have recently adopted a new rule with regard to these people, requiring each Jap to produce a certificate, duly signed and sealed by the United States consul here, setting forth that the bearer (named and described) has been duly bathed and had his baggage funigated and pronounced clear of all contagious disease by the quarantine officer at William Head, his certificate being filed at the consulate. New Steamer

WILL GET AWAY WEDNESDAY. Steamer North Star Is Now Repairing Damages at Turpel's Shipyard.

Damages at Turpel's Shipyard.

When it was announced that the little steamer North Star had received no injuries in her detention by the rocks of Trial Island, the impression meant to be conveyed was that she had enjoyed comparative, not complete, immunity from damage. It was not until she had been drawn up on Turpel's ways Sunday morning that her exact condition was discoverable, and it was then found that her keel had been broken in two or three places, her rudder had been dislocated, and two ugly holes required attention, the starboard side of the ship's bottom having been punched almost through, near the bow and aft. There were certain other minor injuries to be attended to, and it will be quite into the evening to-morrow before the steamer is in condition to resume her voyage, having expended between \$300 and \$400 with Victoria ship carpenters. If—as has been stated—the North Star has \$50,000 or \$50,000 worth of cannery supplies concealed about her, it is not easy to see where the merchandisc has been stowed away. She has very little cargo accommodation, and while a very trin and serviceable little cannery tender, is not designed or fitted for service as a freighter.

DANUBE HOME AGAIN.

Brought Few Passengers and Little News From the Gateway of the North.

North.

Leaving Skagway coincidently with the City of Scattle and the Dirigo on the 18th instant, the C.P.N. Co.'s steamer Danube, Captain H. R. Foot, returned to port at 6 o'clock last evening, with seventeen passengers and little if any freight. Two or three of her passengers purpose closing out their interests as quickly as possible and striking for the new gold-fields, 120 miles to the north of Nome, where \$30 to the pan is reported to be the average richness of the dirt. The discovere of this new El Dorado is Al. Morenci, who, after a year's prospecting 100 miles east of Nome City found fahulously rich ground on a tributary of Ophir Creek. Some of the claims there and on Shovel Creek are now held for a million dollars. 'At Skagway Mossrs. Armour & Co. have decided to creet storage warehouses and enter into active competition for the meat business of the North. A large cannery, to be creeted by the Chilkoot Packing Company near Haines, is also another addition to the industries of the place; it is backed by Aberdeen, Washington, capitalists, with Robert Forbes as president, and will have a capacity of 13,000 cases, Atlin folk coming in by the Danube say that the new ruling by Hon. Smith Curtis, with reference to alien workers in the mines, "affords no relief for the individual miners, but is merely an attempt to beat the devil round the bush for the benefit of American mining companies."

GOSSIP OF THE WATERFRONT Odds and Ends of Shipping News Con

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Steamer Cottage City calls on her way North at 4 a. m. on Thursday.

D. G. S. Quadra returns this morning to Enterprise reef to complete construction of the new beacon there.

Steam dredge Mudlark is still preparing for her work in the inner harbor. She will probably get to work there this week.

Steam collier Wellington has arrived at Esquimalt from San Francisco to be thoroughly cleaned and overhauled on the marine railway.

Steamer Clayoquot is at the Victoria Machinery Depot wharf, receiving a new crank-shaft to replace the one broken off the West Coast last week.

Government tender Princess came down from Nanaimo on Sunday with the Scows to be used in connection with the Mudlark's dredging operations in the inner harbor.

Steamer Oscar returned to port on Sunday after delivering two 160-ton cargoes of Mount Sicker ore at the Van Anda smelter. When the next shipment is ready it will go to Tacoma. Steamship Umatilla, which has been receiving her annual overhauling, resumes service this week, sailing North from San Francisco on Saturday. The City of Puebla will probably be laid up until the Queen goes on the Alaskan excursion run in June.

Barkentine Jane L. Falkenburg, which has been lying in Esquimalt bar-

City of Pulcola will probably be laid up until the Queen goes on the Alaskan excursion run in June.

Barkentine Jane L. Falkenburg, which has been lying in Esquimalt harbor since she was picked up by the Lorne, tows to Scattle this morning, there is be repaired and fitted out for the Nome trade by her new owners, the Scattle-Yukon Trading Co.

Two Indian hunters of the Viva's crew, who had been lost from that schooner on the 15th and ultimately succeeded in making a landing near Point Greenwood, arrived home via Tacoma by the Victorian Sunday morning. The schooner when they lost her had 640 skins.

Steamers Tartar and Athenian, both flying the C. P. R. flag again, passed up the Straits on Sunday, their period of service as United States transports having expired. The Athenian is direct from Kobe for Vancouver, wille the Tartar has a cargo of general merchandise from San Francisco for Puget Sound.

POISON FAILED TO KILL. Sister of the Late Margaret Mather Attempts Suicide Because

Disconsolate. New York, April 23 .- Anita Haight, who says she is a sister of the late Margaret Mather, the actress, tried to Margaret Mather, the actress, tried to kill herself this afternoon with morphin, but failed to succeed. Miss Haight with a friend, Miss Driscoll, called at the Virginia hotel on her way home, and was taken ill and removed to hospital. She will probably recover. Miss Driscoll said that Miss Haight had worked hard to educate Miss Mather for the stage, and since her death she had appeared disconsolate.

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For further particulars apply to Dr. C. J. Fagan, Registrar, Victoria; or to Dr. W. J. McGuigan, Vice-President, Vancouver.

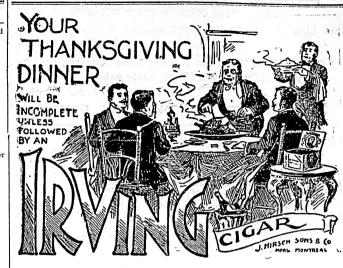
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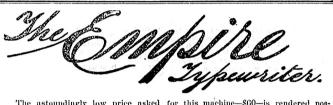
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